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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: INUI ET AL. Examiner: C. Chaney  
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Title: FLUID-COOLED BATTERY PACK SYSTEM

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RESPONSE

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Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of September 11, 2002, please enter the following  
remarks:



REMARKS

Favorable reconsideration of this application is requested in view of the following  
remarks. Claims 1-18 are pending in the application, with claim 1 being independent.

Claim rejections - 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph

Claims 1-18 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite.  
Applicants respectfully traverse this rejection. Applicants submit that the terms "predetermined  
range," "predetermined temperature," and "target width" are ordinary terms, and are used in the  
claims in a manner that is consistent with their accepted meaning and with the meaning provided  
by the specification of this application.